

Call for Presentations – 2021 Spring Conference

The Michigan Self-Insurers' Association (MSIA) is looking for speakers who can effectively share their subject matter expertise, real life experiences, tools, and templates with attendees of our 2021 Spring Conference. The conference will be virtual this year.

Each conference features professional development sessions with a focus on Michigan Workers' Compensation that offer continuing education credits. Presentation sessions can be 30 minutes to 1 hour in length. Attendees include professionals in workers' compensation, human resources, third party administrators, occupational safety and health, claims control and risk management, rehabilitation, and the legal field.

We are looking for presentations that address new and current topics, incorporate creative learning strategies, and provide a strictly educational experience to our attendees. The presentation must not promote a specific business, product, or service.

Submission and Selection

Once applications are received, the MSIA Conference Committee will review and select final presentations.

Your applications will be kept on file for 2 years. If you are not selected to present at the 2021 Spring conference, please note that you may be contacted at a future time if your presentation is selected at a later date.

You will receive notification at least **45 days** prior to the conference if the planning committee should choose you to present at the conference that you have indicated a desire for on your application. **Selected applicants will not receive compensation for their services. However, you will receive a complimentary registration to attend all educational events.**

Selected applicants must agree to submit the final presentation, bios, and any handout materials in electronic format not later than 10 days prior to the conference. We will review presentations for accreditation approval and provide handout materials to attendees.

Conference Presenter Application – Due 2/26/2021

Complete this session proposal form and submit it by Friday, February 26, 2021, to lpoule@treelineassociates.com. Use a separate form for each presentation you want considered. You will receive an email confirming receipt of your application.

Session Format: 30 Minutes 45 minutes 1 Hour

Conference Presentation Selection: Spring Conference Fall Conference

Session Category:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Workers' Compensation | <input type="checkbox"/> Safety Management | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Skills |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Government/Regulatory Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Health/Wellness | <input type="checkbox"/> Training/Education <input type="checkbox"/> Claim Basics |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Management | <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental/Hazardous Materials |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Conditions | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | |

Industry professionals that will benefit from this course: (select all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Workers' Compensation | <input type="checkbox"/> Attorneys/Legal Representatives | <input type="checkbox"/> Human Resources |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Safety, Environmental Health | <input type="checkbox"/> Risk Management Professionals | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Professionals | | |

Suggested title (10 words or less, clearly descriptive of the session, identify target audiences):

Session description: (75 to 100 words, descriptive, concise and supportive of the session title. Use complete sentences)_____

Two to four learning objectives – complete the sentence “Participants will be able to”:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

Presenter profile:

Name: _____ Credentials/Certifications: _____

Work Title: _____ Company: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Office Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ E-mail (required): _____

Background and expertise

Attach a professional resume, CV, or biography to provide relevant work experience, education and skills, which deem the presenter qualified to discuss this topic.

Disclosure of Perceived Conflict

Conflict of interest does not disqualify anyone from participation, but presenters shall disclose conflicts to the audience prior to the presentation.

This disclosure identifies the presence or absence of any potentially biasing relationship of a financial, professional, or personal nature. A perceived conflict of interest would occur, for example, if you or a family member has, within the past 12 months, received any of the following from an organization whose product or service you discuss in your presentation:

- Salary
- Royalty
- Speaking honorarium
- Research appointment
- Board of directors' remuneration or consulting fee

A conflict of interest would also occur if you or a family member has any potential to benefit personally or professionally from the presentation, including owning stock in such a company.

For example:

- Work for a proprietary company delivering the presentation
- Have written a book about the topic
- Provide consulting services related to the topic, etc.

Any person in a position to control the content of this presentation as a planner, presenter, or content specialist must disclose whether a perceived conflict of interest exists.

Is there a perceived financial, professional or personal conflict of interest (self or family)?

Yes, there is perceived conflict of interest.

If yes, please describe: _____

No, there is no perceived conflict of interest